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SUBJECT: REPROCESSING-PRESS GUIDANCE: BRAZILIAN/FRG DEAL
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1. FOLLOWING IS PRESS GUIDANCE PREPARED FOR DEPARTMENT'S USE IF ASKED ABOUT AUGUST 24 ARTICLE IN WASHINGTON POST DEALING PRIMARILY WITH CURRENT SITUATION RE FRANCE/ PAKISTAN REPROCESSING PLANT DEAL. REFTEL CONTAINED Q'S AND A'S FOCUSSING ON FRANCE/PAKISTAN ISSUE.

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2. BRAZIL/FRG:

Q. WHAT IS THE BASIS FOR THE PRESS REPORT THIS MORNING
THAT THE FRENCH DECISION NOT TO GO AHEAD WITH THE PAKISTANI
NUCLEAR REPROCESSING PLANT IS EXPECTED TO BRING NEW PRESSURE
ON THE FRG TO CANCEL ITS SALE OF A REPROCESSING FACILITY
TO BRAZIL ?

A. WE HAVE MADE OUR VIEWS ON THE GERMAN/BRAZILIAN DEAL
CLEAR TO THE RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTS. WE HAVE NO FURTHER
COMMENTS AT THIS TIME.

3. QUESTION DID COME UP AT DEPARTMENT'S PRESS BRIEFING
AUGUST 24. SPOKESMAN RESPONDED ALONG LINES OF ABOVE.
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